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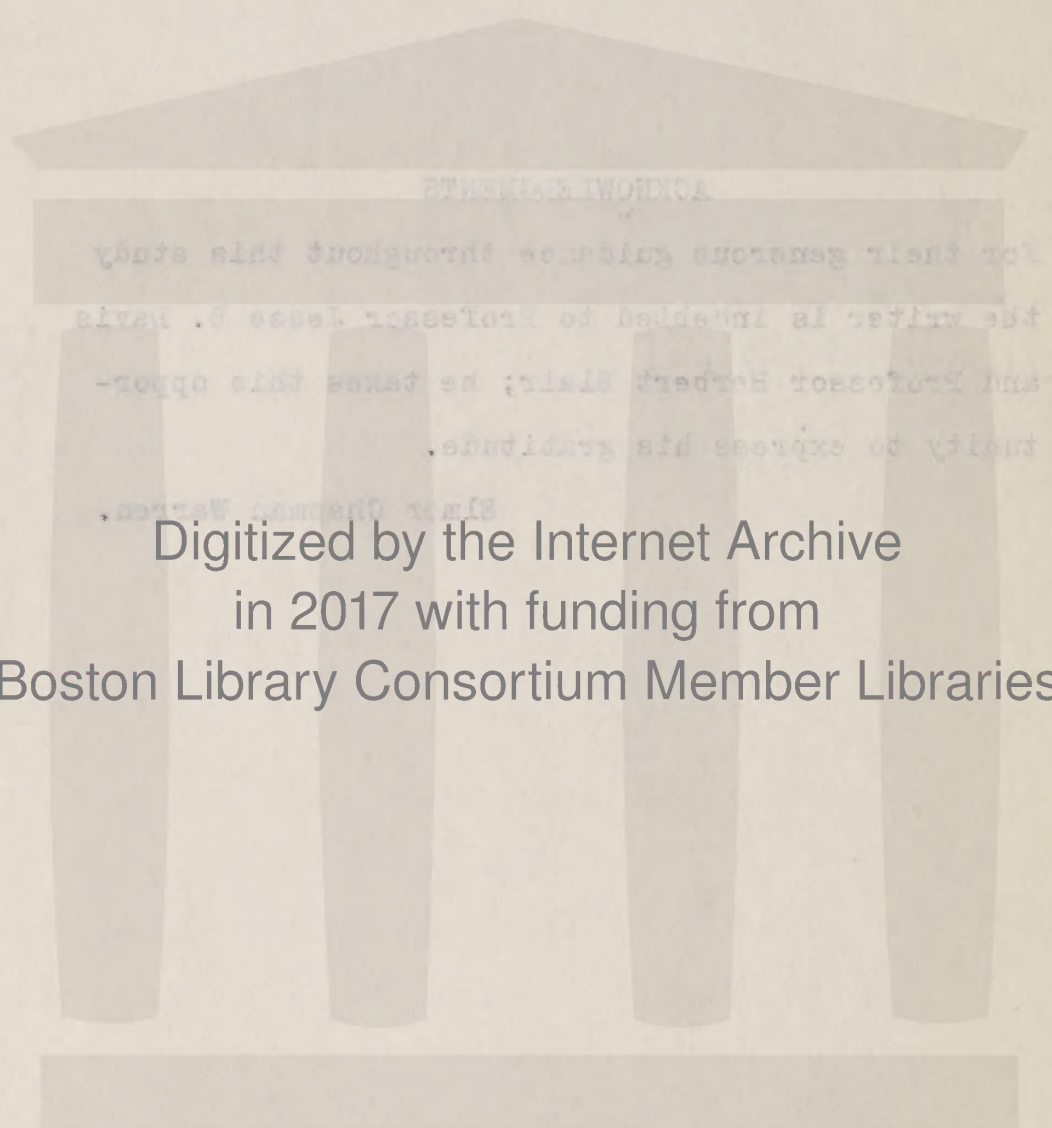


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Battle Creek College	0.40	Muskegan Jun. Coll.	0.32
Detroit City College	0.44	Port Huron Jun. Coll.	0.51
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The five point scale was: A=4=weight given to marks falling above 1.5\$\*; B=3=weight for marks falling between 0.5\$ and 1.5\$; C=2=weight for marks falling between +0.5\$ and -0.5\$; D=1=weight for marks falling between -0.5\$ and -1.5\$; F=0=weight for marks falling below -1.5\$. For example, Prof. A's mean mark was 79.85 and the standard deviation, \$, was 11.0. Hence, marks given to students by him, and falling between  $79.85 + 5.5$  and  $79.85 - 5.5$  were given a weight of 2; those between 85.35 and 96.35 a weight of 3; those above 96.35 a weight of 4; those between 74.35 and 63.35 a weight of 1; and those below 63.35 a weight of 0. Each Professor's marks were treated in a similar way, according to the individual means and sigma's.

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6. Each student's marks were adjusted from the percentage scale to the weight scale depending jointly upon the original mark and by whom it was given. For example, suppose student Smith received a 75% in English from Prof. A, a 65% in foreign language from Prof. R, and an 80% in mathematics from Prof. W. His marks would be changed to conform to whatever weights Professor A's 75%, Professor R's 65%, and Professor W's 80% were worth. As a result of this transformation his marks may have become in terms of weights, 2 in English, 1 in foreign language, and 3 in mathematics. Now, had he studied under three other Professors, A' in English, R' in foreign language, and W' in mathematics he might well have received as weights: 3 in English, 2 in foreign language, and 4 in mathematics; all due to the fact that the different instructors' marks would probably be of unequal values. This process of establishing a common base was suggested to the author by Professor Herbert Blair.

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1. Each student's average weight in three courses.
2. The mean and standard deviation of the course averages;  $M_1$ ,  $S_1$ .
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5. The coefficient of correlation between the language weights and college averages,  $r_{12}$

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1. Each student's average weight in these courses.
2. The mean and standard deviation of the course averages;  $M_1, \sigma_1$ .
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4. The mean and standard deviation of the arithmetic weights;  $M_3, \sigma_3$ .
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6. The coefficient of correlation between the arithmetic weights and college averages,  $r_{13}$ .
7. The coefficient of correlation between the language weights and the arithmetic weights,  $r_{23}$ .
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All the statistical procedures and computations in this thesis were modeled after Garrett. (5).



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TABLE 1

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Column 1	Student
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Column 8	Average of columns 3, 5, 7
Column 9	Score on language part of psychological test
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	74	2	75	2	70	2	2.0	31	2	32	2	145	2
2	68	1	0	0	92	3	1.3	25	1	40	3	151	2
3	57	0	81	3	55	0	1.0	21	1	40	3	154	2
4	77	2	71	2	72	2	2.0	16	1	40	3	105	1
5	86	3	83	3	60	1	2.3	33	2	24	2	164	2
6	80	3	81	3	85	3	3.0	50	3	40	3	218	3
7	81	3	88	3	82	2	2.6	60	4	20	1	233	4
8	75	3	83	2	50	0	1.6	30	2	40	3	209	3
9	83	3	88	3	71	2	2.6	25	1	36	3	147	2
10	77	2	85	2	75	2	2.0	27	1	8	0	124	1
11	68	1	96	4	0	0	1.6	37	2	40	3	191	3
12	65	1	84	3	90	3	2.3	26	1	20	1	126	1
13	74	2	78	2	81	3	2.3	32	2	24	2	151	2
14	86	3	93	3	85	3	3.0	56	3	24	2	172	2
15	85	4	65	1	84	3	2.6	50	3	32	2	188	3
16	55	0	62	1	70	1	0.6	19	1	16	1	74	0
17	88	3	90	3	86	3	3.0	47	3	40	3	173	2
18	88	3	98	4	87	3	3.3	45	3	32	2	186	3
19	73	2	88	3	75	2	2.3	43	3	48	4	208	3
20	70	2	78	2	70	1	1.6	27	1	24	2	157	2
21	75	2	83	3	94	3	2.6	38	2	12	1	102	1
22	72	1	72	2	63	1	1.3	26	1	28	2	176	2
23	73	2	62	1	90	3	2.0	37	2	16	1	145	2
24	88	3	78	2	82	3	2.6	38	2	32	2	161	2
25	70	2	86	3	80	2	2.3	24	1	44	3	170	2
26	67	1	73	2	72	2	1.6	17	1	16	1	122	1
27	67	1	0	0	0	0	0.3	13	0	8	0	127	1
28	74	2	82	3	80	3	2.6	25	1	24	2	159	2
29	91	4	89	3	94	4	3.6	52	3	40	3	233	4
30	62	1	78	2	73	2	1.6	50	3	28	2	156	2
31	80	2	86	3	90	3	2.6	47	3	16	1	139	2
32	84	3	93	3	82	2	2.6	31	2	28	2	158	2
33	71	1	77	2	84	3	2.0	39	2	24	2	137	2
34	72	2	67	1	82	2	1.6	34	2	20	1	181	2
35	72	2	68	1	80	2	1.6	31	1	24	2	119	1
36	78	3	88	3	65	1	2.3	37	2	32	2	168	2
37	70	2	0	0	62	1	1.0	19	1	12	1	76	0
38	40	0	69	1	60	0	0.3	42	2	32	2	178	2
39	79	3	80	3	91	3	3.0	37	2	36	3	210	3





1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
40	81	2	83	3	78	3	2.6	41	2	36	3	175	2
41	74	2	0	0	80	2	1.3	27	1	16	1	163	2
42	85	3	78	2	93	3	2.6	68	4	16	1	179	2
43	66	1	55	0	31	0	0.3	21	1	20	1	118	1
44	82	3	94	3	90	3	3.0	33	2	24	2	134	1
45	86	3	71	2	85	3	2.6	54	3	20	1	170	2
46	84	4	83	3	93	3	3.3	51	3	40	3	240	4
47	73	2	61	1	70	1	1.3	28	1	24	2	174	2
48	68	1	77	2	75	2	1.6	48	3	16	1	170	2
49	83	3	92	3	84	3	3.0	53	3	52	4	215	3
50	70	2	91	3	80	2	2.3	17	1	12	1	108	1
51	66	1	63	1	80	2	1.3	32	2	16	1	111	1
52	80	2	80	2	70	2	2.0	38	2	44	3	179	2
53	65	1	60	1	84	3	1.6	27	1	24	2	118	1
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55	91	4	93	4	85	3	3.6	49	3	64	4	285	4
56	73	1	74	1	80	2	1.3	26	1	12	1	66	0
57	60	1	88	3	85	3	2.3	37	2	48	4	209	3
58	80	2	67	1	70	2	1.6	56	3	36	3	226	3
59	90	3	95	4	80	3	3.3	36	2	32	2	205	3
60	84	4	83	3	91	4	3.6	56	3	28	2	192	3
61	47	0	69	1	40	0	0.3	9	0	48	4	99	1
62	66	1	74	2	75	2	1.6	35	2	32	2	155	2
63	75	3	77	2	65	1	2.0	25	1	52	4	198	3
64	77	3	64	1	70	1	1.6	50	3	28	2	203	3
65	74	2	75	2	75	2	2.0	26	1	16	1	125	1
66	86	3	65	1	0	0	1.3	25	1	24	2	146	2
67	64	0	70	1	0	0	0.3	14	0	4	0	70	0
68	80	2	85	2	94	4	2.6	24	1	20	1	97	1
69	68	2	64	1	38	0	1.0	25	1	28	2	149	2
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72	62	1	76	2	76	2	1.6	43	3	32	2	155	2
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74	90	3	75	2	84	3	2.6	25	1	12	1	118	1
75	84	3	96	4	91	3	3.3	63	4	44	3	217	3
76	87	3	76	2	97	4	3.0	64	4	32	2	261	4
77	67	1	71	1	63	1	1.0	26	1	20	1	114	1
78	0	0	67	1	70	1	0.6	8	0	36	3	97	1

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46	64	3	83	3	93	3	3.8	37	3	40	3	340	4
47	73	4	61	1	70	1	1.3	38	1	34	3	174	3
48	68	1	77	3	73	3	1.6	46	3	16	1	170	3
49	68	3	92	3	84	3	3.0	33	3	33	4	313	3
50	70	3	91	3	80	3	3.8	17	1	13	1	103	1
51	66	1	63	1	60	3	1.3	33	3	16	1	111	1
52	80	3	80	3	70	3	3.0	33	3	44	3	179	3
53	65	1	60	1	64	3	1.6	37	1	34	3	118	1
54	68	3	83	3	88	4	3.8	47	3	48	4	330	3
55	91	4	93	4	83	3	3.6	49	3	64	4	333	4
56	78	1	74	1	80	3	1.3	36	1	13	1	66	0
57	60	1	88	3	85	3	3.3	37	3	48	4	309	3
58	80	3	67	1	70	3	1.6	33	3	33	3	336	3
59	90	3	93	4	80	3	3.3	36	3	33	3	303	3
60	84	4	83	3	91	4	3.6	39	3	33	3	133	3
61	47	0	63	1	40	0	0.8	9	0	48	4	99	1
62	66	1	74	3	79	3	1.6	33	3	33	3	133	3
63	75	3	77	3	66	1	3.0	33	1	33	4	138	3
64	77	3	64	1	70	1	1.6	30	3	33	3	303	3
65	74	3	73	3	75	3	3.0	33	1	16	1	133	1
66	86	3	63	1	0	0	1.3	33	1	34	3	146	3
67	64	0	70	1	0	0	0.3	14	0	4	0	79	0
68	80	3	82	3	94	4	3.6	34	1	30	1	37	1
69	68	3	64	1	38	0	1.0	33	1	38	3	149	3
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71	74	3	78	3	73	3	3.0	33	3	33	3	133	3
72	63	1	76	3	76	3	1.6	43	3	33	3	136	3
73	74	3	67	1	70	1	1.3	18	1	33	3	98	1
74	90	3	73	3	84	3	3.6	33	1	13	1	118	1
75	84	3	96	4	97	3	3.3	63	4	44	3	317	3
76	87	3	76	3	07	4	3.0	64	4	33	3	361	4
77	67	1	77	1	63	1	1.0	33	1	30	1	114	1
78	0	0	67	1	70	1	0.8	8	0	36	3	97	1



The mean and standard deviation of Professor B's marks.

The mean and standard deviation of Professor A's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
95-99	2	4	8	32
90-94	2	3	6	18
85-89	2	2	4	8
80-84	1	1	1	1
75-79	4	0	0	0
70-74	3	-1	-3	3
65-69	2	-2	-4	8
60-64	0	-3	0	0
55-59	1	-4	-4	16
	17		8	86

$$\text{Mean} = 77.5 + (8/17)5 = 79.85$$

$$s = \sqrt{(86/17) - (8/17)^2} \times 5 = 11.0$$

$$s_{av} = 11.0/\sqrt{17} = 2.65$$

The mean and standard deviation of Professor A's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
95-99	2	4	8	32
90-94	3	3	9	18
85-89	2	2	4	8
80-84	1	1	1	1
75-79	4	0	0	0
70-74	3	-1	-3	9
65-69	2	-2	-4	8
60-64	0	-3	0	0
55-59	1	-4	-4	16
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	17		8	86

$$\text{Mean} = 77.5 + (8 \div 17) \times 5 = 79.88$$

$$s = \sqrt{(86 \div 17) - (8 \div 17)^2} \times 5 = 11.0$$

$$s_{\bar{x}} = 11.0 \div \sqrt{17} = 2.63$$



The mean and standard deviation of Professor B's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
90-94	2	3	6	18
85-89	6	2	12	24
80-84	6	1	6	6
75-79	7	0	0	0
70-74	7	-1	-7	7
65-69	2	-2	-4	8
60-64	1	-3	-3	9
55-59	1	-4	-4	16
	32		6	88

$$\text{Mean} = 77.5 + (6/32)5 = 78.4$$

$$s = \sqrt{(88/32) - (6/32)^2} \times 5 = 8.2$$

$$s_{av} = 8.2/\sqrt{32} = 1.46$$

The mean and standard deviation of Professor B's marks.

Class	T	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
90-94	3	3	6	18
85-89	6	3	18	54
80-84	6	1	6	6
75-79	7	0	0	0
70-74	7	-1	-7	7
65-69	3	-2	-4	8
60-64	1	-3	-3	9
55-59	1	-4	-4	16
	32		6	88

$$\text{Mean} = 77.5 + (6/32) \cdot 5 = 78.4$$

$$s = \sqrt{(88/32) - ((6/32) \cdot 5)} \quad s = 8.2$$

$$s_{\text{EV}} = 8.2 \sqrt{32} = 44.1$$



The mean and standard deviation of Professor C's marks.

The mean and standard deviation of Professor D's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
90-94	4	4	16	64
85-89	4	3	12	36
80-84	9	2	18	36
75-79	4	1	4	4
70-74	6	0	0	0
65-69	0	-1	0	0
60-64	4	-2	-8	16
55-59	1	-3	-3	9
	32		39	165

$$\text{Mean} = 72.5 + (39/32)5 = 78.6$$

$$s = \sqrt{(165/32) - (39/32)^2} \times 5 = 9.6$$

$$s_{av} = 9.6/\sqrt{32} = 1.7$$

The mean and standard deviation of Professor G's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
90-94	4	4	16	64
85-89	4	3	12	36
80-84	3	2	10	36
75-79	4	1	4	4
70-74	6	0	0	0
65-69	0	-1	0	0
60-64	4	-2	-8	16
55-59	1	-3	-3	9
	32	32	32	168

$$\text{Mean} = 72.5 + (32 \div 32) = 72.5$$

$$s = \sqrt{(168 \div 32) - (32 \div 32)^2} = 3.6$$

$$s_{\text{EV}} = 3.6 \sqrt{32} = 1.7$$



The mean and standard deviation of Professor D's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
90-95	2	4	8	32
85-89	4	3	12	36
80-84	6	2	12	24
75-79	1	1	1	1
70-74	4	0	0	0
65-69	6	-1	-6	6
60-64	3	-2	-6	12
55-59	3	-3	-9	27
	29		12	138

$$\text{Mean} = 72.5 + (12/29)5 = 74.6$$

$$s = \sqrt{(138/29) - (12/29)^2} \times 5 = 10.75$$

$$s_{av} = 10.75/\sqrt{29} = 2.0$$

The mean and standard deviation of Professor D's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
90-99	2	4	8	32
80-89	4	3	12	36
70-79	6	2	12	24
60-69	1	1	1	1
50-59	4	0	0	0
40-49	2	-1	-2	4
30-39	3	-2	-6	12
20-29	2	-3	-6	24
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	29	12	138	

$$\text{Mean} = \frac{138}{29} = 4.76$$

$$s^2 = \frac{1}{29} \left( \sum FD^2 - \frac{(\sum FD)^2}{29} \right) = 10.76$$

$$s = \sqrt{10.76} = 3.3$$



The mean and standard deviation of Professor E's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
90-94	5	3	15	45
85-89	4	2	8	16
80-84	1	1	1	1
75-79	2	0	0	0
70-74	4	-1	-4	4
65-69	2	-2	-4	8
60-64	1	-3	-3	9
55-59	1	-4	-4	16
	20		9	99

$$\text{Mean} = 77.5 + (9/20)5 = 79.7$$

$$s = \sqrt{(99/20) - (9/20)^2} \quad \times 5 = 10.9$$

$$s_{av} = 10.9/\sqrt{20} = 2.43$$

The mean and standard deviation of Professor B's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
90-94	3	3	15	45
85-89	4	3	8	16
80-84	1	1	1	1
75-79	3	0	0	0
70-74	4	-1	-4	4
65-69	3	-2	-4	8
60-64	1	-3	-3	9
55-59	1	-4	-4	16
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Σ	20	3	3	99

$$\text{Mean} = 77.5 + (3/20)5 = 78.75$$

$$s = \sqrt{(20 \times 20) - (3^2)} = 10.9$$

$$s_{xy} = 10.9 \sqrt{20} = 2.43$$



The mean and standard deviation of Professor F's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
95-99	1	4	4	16
90-94	9	3	27	81
85-89	2	2	4	8
80-84	6	1	6	36
75-79	2	0	0	0
70-74	4	-1	-4	4
65-69	3	-2	-6	12
60-64	4	-3	-12	36
55-59	5	-4	-20	80
	36		-1	243

$$\text{Mean} = 77.5 - (1/36)5 = 77.4$$

$$s = \sqrt{(243/36) - (1/36)^2} \times 5 = 13.0$$

$$s_{av} = 13.0/\sqrt{36} = 2.16$$

The mean and standard deviation of Professor P's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
95-99	1	4	4	16
90-94	9	3	27	81
85-89	8	2	16	64
80-84	6	1	6	36
75-79	3	0	0	0
70-74	4	-1	-4	16
65-69	3	-2	-6	36
60-64	4	-3	-12	48
55-59	5	-4	-20	80
	38	-1	-1	243

$$\text{Mean} = 77.5 - (1/38) \times 1 = 77.4$$

$$s = \sqrt{(243/38) - (1/38)^2} \times 38 = 19.0$$

$$s_{av} = 19.0/\sqrt{38} = 3.16$$



The mean and standard deviation of Professor H's marks.

The mean and standard deviation of Professor G's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
85-89	1	3	3	9
80-84	5	2	10	20
75-79	7	1	7	7
70-74	12	0	0	0
65-69	13	-1	-13	13
60-64	1	-2	-2	4
55-59	4	-3	-12	36
	43		-7	89

$$\text{Mean} = 72.5 - (10/43)5 = 71.7$$

$$\text{Mean} = 72.5 - (7/43)5 = 71.7$$

$$s = \sqrt{(89/43) - (7/43)^2} \times 5 = 10.7$$

$$s = \sqrt{(89/43) - (7/43)^2} \times 5 = 6.75$$

$$s_{av} = 10.7/\sqrt{43} = 1.66$$

$$s_{av} = 6.75/\sqrt{43} = 1.03$$

The mean and standard deviation of Professor G's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
85-89	1	3	3	9
80-84	2	2	10	20
75-79	7	1	7	7
70-74	12	0	0	0
65-69	13	-1	-13	13
60-64	1	-2	-2	4
55-59	4	-3	-12	36
	43	-7		89

$$\text{Mean} = 72.5 - (7 \div 43) \times 5 = 71.7$$

$$s = \sqrt{(69 \div 43) - (7 \div 43)^2} \times 5 = 6.75$$

$$s_{\bar{x}} = 6.75 \div \sqrt{43} = 1.03$$



The mean and standard deviation of Professor H's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
90-95	1	4	4	16
85-89	3	3	9	27
80-84	4	2	8	16
75-79	4	1	4	4
70-74	6	0	0	0
65-69	3	-1	-3	3
60-64	4	-2	-8	16
55-59	8	-3	-24	72
	33	-10	154	

$$\text{Mean} = 72.5 - (10/33)5 = 71.0$$

$$s = \sqrt{(154/33) - (10/33)^2 \times 5} = 10.7$$

$$s_{av} = 10.7/\sqrt{33} = 1.86$$

The mean and standard deviation of Professor H's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
90-95	1	4	4	16
85-89	3	3	9	27
80-84	4	2	8	16
75-79	4	1	4	4
70-74	5	0	0	0
65-69	3	-1	-3	3
60-64	4	-2	-8	16
55-59	8	-3	-24	72
	32	-10	-10	154

$$\text{Mean} = 72.5 - (10 \div 32) \times 5 = 71.0$$

$$s = \sqrt{(154 \div 32) - (10 \div 32)^2 \times 5} = 10.7$$

$$s_{av} = 10.7 \div \sqrt{32} = 1.86$$



The mean and standard deviation of the scores on the  
The mean and standard deviation of Professor I's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
95-99	2	4	8	32
90-94	1	3	3	9
85-89	5	2	10	20
80-84	14	1	14	14
75-79	12	0	0	0
70-74	3	-1	-3	3
65-69	10	-2	-20	40
60-64	10	-3	-30	90
55-59	6	-4	-24	96
	63		-42	304

$$\text{Mean} = 77.5 - (42/63)5 = 74.2$$

$$s = \sqrt{(304/63) - (42/63)^2} \times 5 = 10.5$$

$$s_{av} = 10.5/\sqrt{63} = 1.32$$

The mean and standard deviation of Professor I's marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
95-99	3	4	8	32
90-94	1	3	3	9
85-89	5	2	10	20
80-84	14	1	14	14
75-79	12	0	0	0
70-74	3	-1	-3	3
65-69	10	-2	-20	40
60-64	10	-3	-30	90
55-59	6	-4	-24	96
	63	-42		304

$$\text{Mean} = 77.5 - (42 \div 63) \times 5 = 74.2$$

$$s = \sqrt{(304 \div 63) - ((42 \div 63)^2 \times 5)} = 10.5$$

$$s_{xy} = 10.5 \sqrt{58} = 1.32$$



The mean and standard deviation of the scores on the language part of the psychological examination.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
65-69	1	6	6	36
60-64	3	5	15	75
55-59	3	4	12	48
50-54	8	3	24	72
45-49	5	2	10	20
40-44	6	1	6	6
35-39	12	0	0	0
30-34	9	-1	-9	9
25-29	17	-2	-34	68
20-24	4	-3	-12	36
15-19	6	-4	-24	96
10-14	2	-5	-10	50
5-9	2	-6	-12	72
	78		-28	588

$$\text{Mean} = 37.5 - (28/78)5 = 35.7$$

$$s = \sqrt{(588/78) - (28/78)^2} \times 5 = 13.6$$

$$s_{av} = 13.6/\sqrt{78} = 1.55$$

The mean and standard deviation of the scores on the language part of the psychological examination.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
55-60	1	6	6	36
60-64	3	3	18	72
65-69	3	4	12	48
70-74	8	3	24	72
75-79	6	3	18	54
80-84	6	1	6	36
85-89	12	0	0	0
90-94	9	-1	-9	81
95-99	17	-2	-34	116
100-104	4	-3	-12	48
105-109	6	-4	-24	96
110-114	2	-5	-10	60
115-119	2	-6	-12	72
	78	-28		588

$$\text{Mean} = 37.5 - (28/78)5 = 35.7$$

$$s = \sqrt{(588/78) - ((28/78)^2 \times 5)} = 13.6$$

$$s_{\bar{x}} = 13.6/\sqrt{78} = 1.55$$



The mean and standard deviation of the scores on the arithmetic part of the psychological examination.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
60-64	1	7	7	49
55-59	0	6	0	0
50-54	2	5	10	50
45-49	4	4	16	64
40-44	12	3	36	108
35-39	5	2	10	20
30-34	12	1	12	12
25-29	6	0	0	0
20-24	18	-1	-18	18
15-19	10	-2	-20	40
10-14	5	-3	-15	45
5-9	2	-4	-8	32
0-4	1	-5	-5	25
	78		25	463

$$\text{Mean} = 27.5 + (25/78)5 = 29.1$$

$$s = \sqrt{(463/78) - (25/78)^2} \times 5 = 12.1$$

$$s_{av} = 12.1/\sqrt{78} = 1.38$$

The mean and standard deviation of the scores on the arithmetic part of the psychological examination.

Glass	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
60-64	1	7	7	49
55-59	0	8	0	0
50-54	3	6	18	36
45-49	4	4	16	64
40-44	12	3	36	108
35-39	5	5	25	30
30-34	12	1	12	12
25-29	6	0	0	0
20-24	18	-1	-18	18
15-19	10	-2	-20	40
10-14	5	-3	-15	45
5-9	2	-4	-8	32
0-4	1	-5	-5	25

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$$\text{Mean} = 27.5 = \frac{5(25 \times 78) + 5(8 \times 29)}{2}$$

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{4(25 \times 78) - (25 \times 78)^2}{2}} = 12.1$$

$$s_{\bar{x}} = \frac{12.1}{\sqrt{2}} = 8.5$$



Mean and standard deviation of the gross scores on the  
psychological examination.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
275-299	1	5	5	25
250-274	1	4	4	16
225-249	4	3	12	36
200-224	10	2	20	40
175-199	12	1	12	12
150-174	20	0	0	0
125-149	11	-1	-11	11
100-124	11	-2	-22	44
75-99	5	-3	-15	45
50-74	3	-4	-12	48
	78		-7	277

$$\text{Mean} = 162.5 - (7.78)25 = 160.25$$

$$s = \sqrt{(277/78) - (7/78)^2} \times 25 = 47.0$$

$$s_{av} = 47.0/\sqrt{78} = 5.36$$

Mean and standard deviation of the gross scores on the psychological examination.

Class	F	D	SD	SD
275-299	1	3	3	35
250-274	1	4	4	16
225-249	4	3	13	36
200-224	10	3	20	40
175-199	13	1	13	13
150-174	20	0	0	0
125-149	11	-1	-11	11
100-124	11	-3	-33	44
75-99	5	-3	-15	45
50-74	3	-4	-13	48
	78	-7		377

$$\text{Mean} = 162.5 - (7.78)(35) = 160.25$$

$$s = \sqrt{(27778) - (778)^2 / 78} = 47.0$$

$$s_{\bar{x}} = 47.0 / \sqrt{78} = 5.35$$



Mean and standard deviation of the average weights of  
the first semester marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
3.00-3.99	15	1	15	15
2.00-2.99	31	0	0	0
1.00-1.99	25	-1	-25	25
0.00-0.99	7	-2	-14	28
	78		-24	68

$$\text{Mean} = 2.5 - (24/78) = 2.2 = M_1$$

$$s = \sqrt{(68/78) - (24/78)^2} = 0.88 = s_1$$

$$s_{av} = 0.88/\sqrt{78} = 0.10$$

Mean and standard deviation of the average weights of  
the first semester marks.

Class	F	D	FD	FDs
3.00-3.99	15	1	15	15
2.00-2.99	31	0	0	0
1.00-1.99	25	-1	-25	25
0.00-0.99	7	-2	-14	28
	78		-84	58

$$\text{Mean} = 2.5 - (24/78) = 2.2 = M$$

$$s = \sqrt{(68/78) - (24/78)^2} = 0.88 = s$$

$$s_{\bar{x}} = 0.88/\sqrt{78} = 0.10$$



Mean and standard deviation of the weights of the scores on the language part of the psychological examination.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
4.00-4.99	4	2	8	16
3.00-3.99	19	1	19	19
2.00-2.99	24	0	0	0
1.00-1.99	27	-1	-27	27
0.00-0.99	4	-2	-8	16
	78		-8	78

$$\text{Mean} = 2.5 - (8/78) = 2.4 = M_2$$

$$s = \sqrt{(78/78) - (8/78)^2} = 1.0 = s_2$$

$$s_{av} = 1.0/\sqrt{78} = 0.114$$

Mean and standard deviation of the weights of the scores  
on the language part of the psychological examination.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
4.00-4.99	4	2	8	16
3.00-3.99	19	1	19	19
2.00-2.99	24	0	0	0
1.00-1.99	27	-1	-27	27
0.00-0.99	4	-2	-8	16
	78		-8	78

$$\text{Mean} = 2.5 = (8 \times 78) = 2.4 = M_s$$

$$s^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum (f_i x_i^2) - (\bar{x})^2 = 1.0 = s^2$$

$$s = 1.0 \sqrt{1.0} = 0.114$$



Determination of the correlation between the scores on the language part of the psychological examination (17) and the first semester averages (weighted) (3).

Mean and standard deviation of the weights of the scores on the arithmetic part of the psychological examination.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
4.00-4.99	7	2	14	28
3.00-3.99	17	1	17	17
2.00-2.99	29	0	0	0
1.00-1.99	22	-1	-22	22
0.00-0.99	3	-2	-6	12
	78		3	79

$$\text{Mean} = 2.5 + (3/78) = 2.54 = M_3$$

$$s = \sqrt{(79/78) - (3/78)^2} = 1.0 = s_3$$

$$s_{av} = 1.0/\sqrt{78} = 0.114$$

Mean and standard deviation of the weights of the scores  
on the arithmetic part of the psychological examination.

Class	F	D	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>
4.00-4.99	7	2	14	28
3.00-3.99	14	1	14	14
2.00-2.99	23	0	0	0
1.00-1.99	23	-1	-23	529
0.00-0.99	3	-2	-6	18
	78		3	79

$$\text{Mean} = 2.5 = (3 \times 78) = 2.54 = M$$

$$s = \sqrt{(79 \times 78) - (3 \times 78)^2} = 1.0 = s$$

$$s_{\bar{M}} = 1.0 \sqrt{78} = 0.114$$



Determination of the correlation between the scores on the language part of the psychological examination (X), and the first semester averages (weights) (Y).

	0	1	2	3	4	F <sub>y</sub>	D <sub>y</sub>	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>	+xy	-xy
4											
3			-1 4 -4	0 9	1 2 2	15	1	15	15	2	4
2		0 11	0 13	0 5	0 2	31	0	0	0		
1		2 14 28	1 6	0 5		25	-1	-25	25	34	
0	6 4 24	4 2	2 1			7	-2	-14	28	34	
F <sub>x</sub>	4	27	24	19	4	78		-24	68	<u>70</u> +66	<u>4</u>
D <sub>x</sub>	-3	-2	-1	0	1						
FD	-12	-54	-24	0	4	-86					
FD <sup>2</sup>	36	108	24	0	4	-172					

$$r = \frac{\frac{66}{78} - \left(-\frac{24}{78}\right)\left(-\frac{86}{78}\right)}{1 \times 0.88} = 0.58, r_{12}$$

$$P.E._r = \frac{.6745(1-0.58^2)}{\sqrt{78}} = 0.051$$





Determination of the correlation between the scores on the arithmetic part of the psychological examination (X), and the first semester averages (weights) (Y).

	0	1	2	3	4	F <sub>y</sub>	D <sub>y</sub>	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>	+xy	-xy
4											
3			-1	0	1						
			6	6	3	15	1	15	15	3	6
2	0	0	0	0	0						
	1	12	10	5	3	31	0	0	0		
1		2	1	0							
		8	12	5		25	-1	-25	25	28	
		16	12								
0	6	4	2	0	-2						
	2	2	1	1	1	7	-2	-14	28	22	2
	12	8	2		-2						
F <sub>x</sub>	3	22	29	17	7	78		-24	68	<u>53</u>	<u>8</u>
D <sub>x</sub>	-3	-2	-1	0	1					+45	
FD	-9	-44	-29	0	7	-75					
FD <sup>2</sup>	27	88	29	0	7	151					

$$r = \frac{\frac{45}{78} - \left(-\frac{24}{78}\right)\left(-\frac{75}{78}\right)}{1 \times 0.88} = 0.32, r_{13}$$

$$P.E._r = \frac{.6745(1-0.32^2)}{\sqrt{78}} = 0.069$$





Determination of the correlation between the scores on the arithmetic part of the psychological examination (X), and the scores on the language part of the psychological examination (Y).

	0	1	2	3	4	F <sub>y</sub>	D <sub>y</sub>	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>	+xy	-xy
4		-2 2 -4	-1 1 -1	0 1		4	1	4	4		5
3		0 4	0 7	0 5	0 3	19	0				
2		2 4 8	1 13 13	0 5	-1 2 -2	24	-1	-24	24	21	2
1	6 1 6	4 12 48	2 8 16	0 5	-2 1 -2	27	-2	-54	108	70	2
0	9 2 18			0 1	-3 1 -3	4	-3	-12	36	18	3
F <sub>x</sub>	3	22	29	17	7	78		-86	172	<u>109</u>	<u>12</u>
D <sub>x</sub>	-3	-2	-1	0	1					+97	
FD	-9	-44	-29		7	-75					
FD <sup>2</sup>	27	88	29		7	151					

$$r = \frac{\frac{97}{78} - \left(-\frac{86}{78}\right)\left(-\frac{75}{78}\right)}{1 \times 1} = 0.18, r_{23}$$

$$P.E._r = \frac{.6745(1-0.18^2)}{\sqrt{78}} = 0.074$$





The Regression Equation:

$$x_1 = b_{12.3}x_2 + b_{13.2}x_3$$

College average  
(1)

Language  
(2)

Arithmetic  
(3)

$$r_{12} = 0.58$$

$$r_{23} = 0.18$$

$$r_{13} = 0.32$$

$$M_1 = 2.2$$

$$M_2 = 2.4$$

$$M_3 = 2.54$$

$$\$1 = 0.88$$

$$\$2 = 1.0$$

$$\$3 = 1.0$$

$$b_{12.3} = r_{12.3} \frac{\$1.23}{\$2.13}$$

$$b_{13.2} = r_{13.2} \frac{\$1.23}{\$3.12}$$

$$r_{12.3} = \frac{r_{12} - r_{13} r_{23}}{\sqrt{1-r_{13}^2} \sqrt{1-r_{23}^2}} = \frac{.58 - .32 \times .18}{.9474 \times .9837} = 0.56$$

$$r_{13.2} = \frac{r_{13} - r_{12} r_{23}}{\sqrt{1-r_{12}^2} \sqrt{1-r_{23}^2}} = \frac{.32 - .58 \times .18}{.8146 \times .9837} = 0.275$$

$$\$1.23 = \$1 \sqrt{1-r_{12}^2} \sqrt{1-r_{13.2}^2} = .88 \times .8146 \times .9615 = 0.69$$

$$\$2.13 = \$2 \sqrt{1-r_{23}^2} \sqrt{1-r_{12.3}^2} = 1 \times .9837 \times .8285 = 0.81$$

$$\$3.12 = \$3 \sqrt{1-r_{23}^2} \sqrt{1-r_{13.2}^2} = 1 \times .9837 \times .9615 = 0.95$$

$$b_{12.3} = (r_{12.3})(\$1.23)/(\$2.13) = 0.477$$

$$b_{13.2} = (r_{13.2})(\$1.23)/(\$3.12) = 0.20$$

$$x_1 = 0.477x_2 + 0.20x_3$$

$$\text{Score form: } X_1 = .48X_2 + .20X_3 + 0.55$$

$$\$(\text{est. } X_1) = 0.69, \text{ P.E.} = 0.465, R_{1(23)} = 0.60$$

The Regression Equation:

$$x_1 = b_{12.3}x_2 + b_{13.2}x_3$$

College average (1)      Language (2)      Arithmetic (3)

$$r_{12} = 0.58$$

$$r_{13} = 0.32$$

$$r_{23} = 0.18$$

$$M_1 = 2.8$$

$$M_2 = 2.4$$

$$M_3 = 2.54$$

$$s_1 = 0.98$$

$$s_2 = 1.0$$

$$s_3 = 1.0$$

$$b_{12.3} = \frac{r_{12} - r_{13}r_{23}}{s_2 \sqrt{1 - r_{23}^2}} = \frac{0.58 - 0.32 \times 0.18}{1.0 \sqrt{1 - 0.18^2}} = 0.58$$

$$b_{13.2} = \frac{r_{13} - r_{12}r_{23}}{s_3 \sqrt{1 - r_{23}^2}} = \frac{0.32 - 0.58 \times 0.18}{1.0 \sqrt{1 - 0.18^2}} = 0.32$$

$$r_{12.3} = \frac{r_{12} - r_{13}r_{23}}{\sqrt{1 - r_{23}^2}} = \frac{0.58 - 0.32 \times 0.18}{\sqrt{1 - 0.18^2}} = 0.58$$

$$r_{13.2} = \frac{r_{13} - r_{12}r_{23}}{\sqrt{1 - r_{23}^2}} = \frac{0.32 - 0.58 \times 0.18}{\sqrt{1 - 0.18^2}} = 0.32$$

$$r_{12.3} = \frac{r_{12} - r_{13}r_{23}}{\sqrt{1 - r_{23}^2}} = \frac{0.58 - 0.32 \times 0.18}{\sqrt{1 - 0.18^2}} = 0.58$$

$$r_{13.2} = \frac{r_{13} - r_{12}r_{23}}{\sqrt{1 - r_{23}^2}} = \frac{0.32 - 0.58 \times 0.18}{\sqrt{1 - 0.18^2}} = 0.32$$

$$s_{12.3} = s_1 \sqrt{1 - r_{23}^2} = 0.98 \sqrt{1 - 0.18^2} = 0.98$$

$$s_{23.1} = s_2 \sqrt{1 - r_{13}^2} = 1.0 \sqrt{1 - 0.32^2} = 0.91$$

$$s_{31.2} = s_3 \sqrt{1 - r_{12}^2} = 1.0 \sqrt{1 - 0.58^2} = 0.82$$

$$b_{12.3} = (r_{12.3}) \left( \frac{s_2}{s_1} \right) \left( \frac{1}{r_{23}} \right) = 0.58$$

$$b_{13.2} = (r_{13.2}) \left( \frac{s_3}{s_1} \right) \left( \frac{1}{r_{23}} \right) = 0.32$$

$$x_1 = 0.47x_2 + 0.20x_3$$

$$\text{Score form: } x_1 = .48x_2 + .20x_3 + 0.55$$

$$s(\text{est } x_1) = 0.69, \text{ P.E.} = 0.465, r(23) = 0.69$$



Determination of the correlation between the gross scores (X) on the psychological examination and the college averages (weights) (Y).

	0	1	2	3	4	F <sub>y</sub>	D <sub>y</sub>	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>	+xy	-xy
4											
3		-1	0	1	2						
		1	2	8	8	15	1	15	15	16	1
		-1									
2		0	0	0	0						
		8	17	5	1	31	0	0	0		
1		2	1	0	-1						
		2	6	13	4	25	-1	-25	25	10	4
		4	6		-4						
0		4	2	0							
		2	4	1		7	-2	-14	28	16	
		8	8								
F <sub>x</sub>	4	19	33	17	5	78		-24	68	<u>42</u>	<u>5</u>
D <sub>x</sub>	-2	-1	0	1	2					+37	
FD	-8	-19		17	10						
FD <sup>2</sup>	16	19		17	20	72					

$$r = \frac{\frac{37}{78} - \left(-\frac{24}{78}\right)(0)}{(0.96)(0.88)} = 0.562, r_{ga}$$

$$P.E._r = \frac{.6745(1-0.562^2)}{\sqrt{78}} = 0.052$$

Determination of the correlation between the gross scores (X) on the psychological examination and the college averages (weights) (Y).

		0	1	2	3	4	F <sub>Y</sub>	D <sub>Y</sub>	FD	FD <sup>2</sup>	X <sub>Y</sub>	-X <sub>Y</sub>
4												
3			-1	2	1	2	12	1	12	12	12	1
2			-1	0	0	1	21	0	0	0		
1		2	1	0	-1		22	-1	-22	22	10	4
0	8	2	4	1	0		7	-2	-14	28	12	
F <sub>X</sub>	4	19	33	14	5	73			-24	68	42	5
D <sub>X</sub>	-2	-1	0	1	2							+37
FD	-8	-19		14	10							
FD <sup>2</sup>	16	19		14	20	72						

$$r = \frac{\frac{37}{78} - \left( \frac{24}{78} \right) \left( \frac{0}{78} \right)}{(0.88)(0.88)} = 0.522, r_{82}$$

$$P.E._r = \frac{.6745(1-0.522^2)}{\sqrt{78}} = 0.052$$



The regression equation for predicting college average from gross scores on the psychological tests then becomes:

$$y = .562 \frac{.88}{.96} x$$

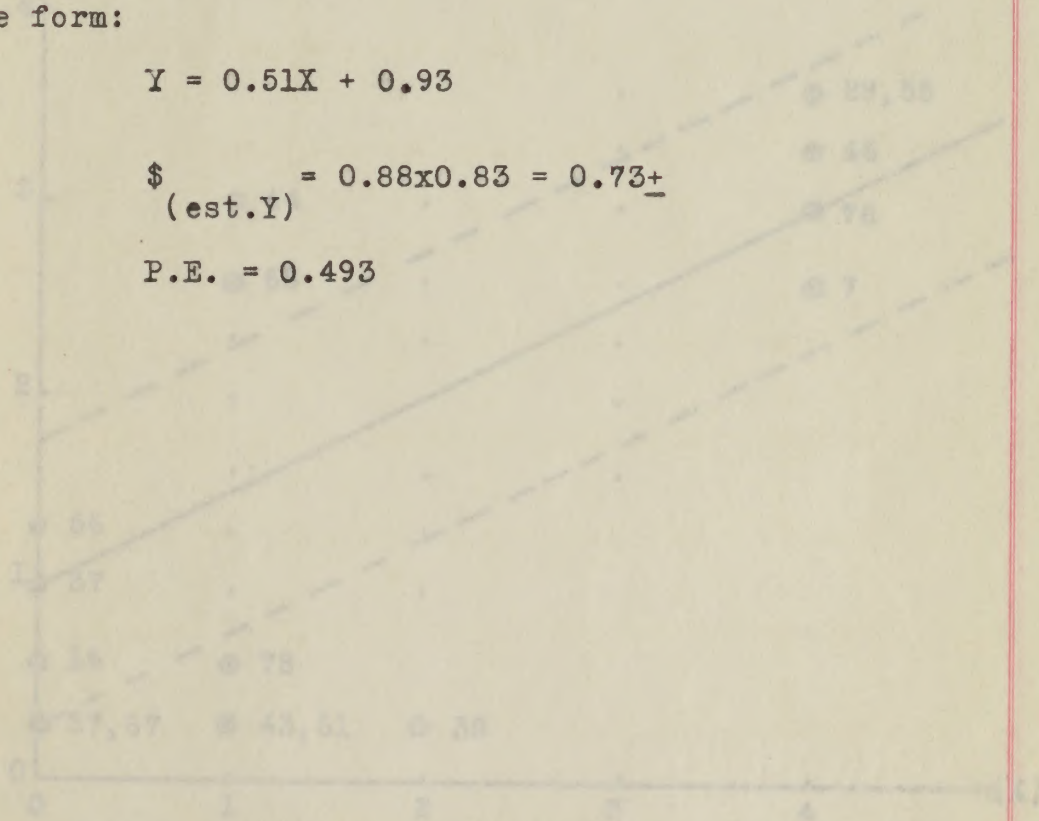
$$= 0.51x$$

In score form:

$$Y = 0.51X + 0.93$$

$$\$_{(\text{est.}Y)} = 0.88 \times 0.83 = 0.73\pm$$

$$P.E. = 0.493$$



Graph showing the relation between gross weights on the psychological test (X) and average weights in college courses (Y):  $Y = 0.51X + 0.93$

Numbered dots indicate specific students' positions.

The regression equation for predicting college average from gross scores on the psychological tests then becomes:

$$y = .562x - \frac{.98}{.96}$$

$$= 0.51x$$

In score form:

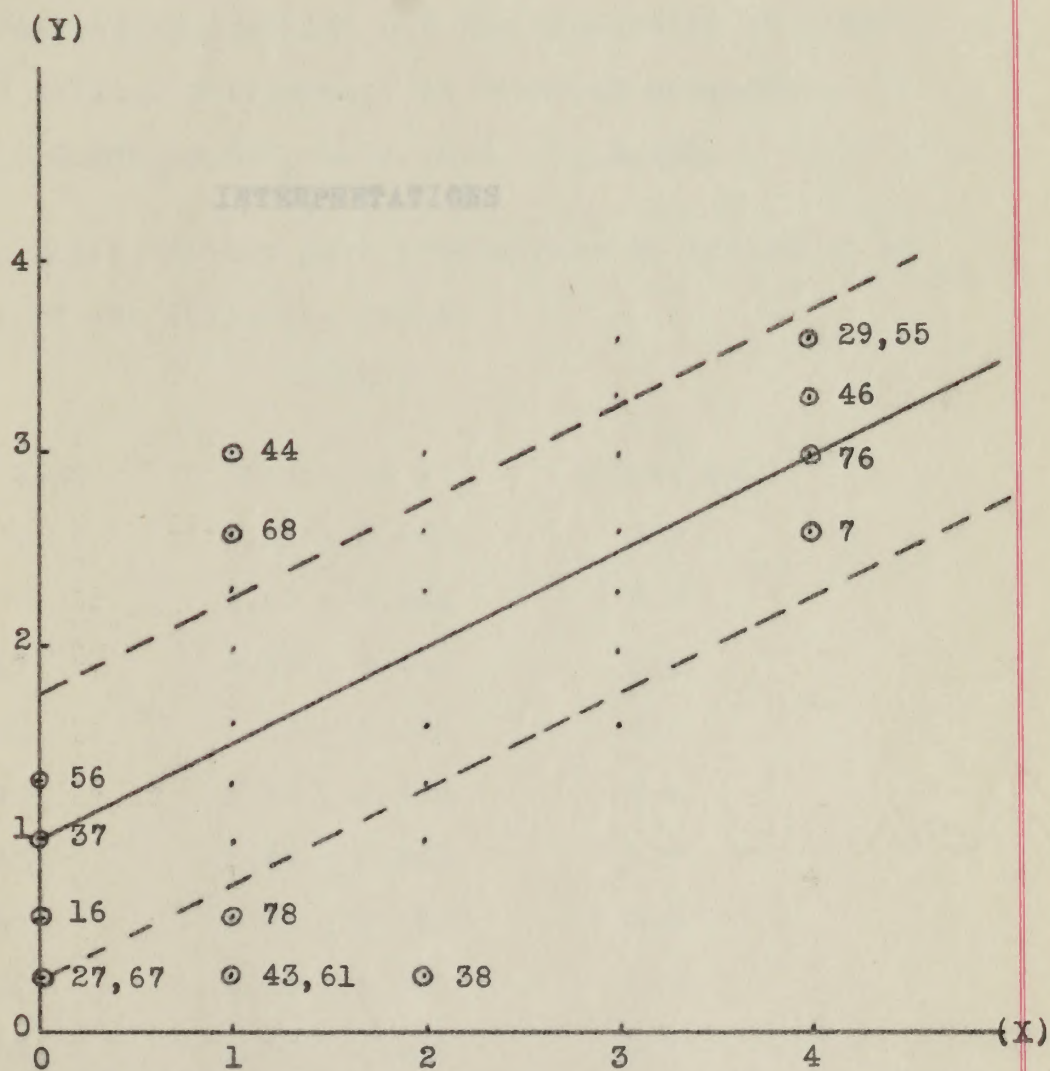
$$Y = 0.51X + 0.93$$

$$\hat{Y} = 0.51(88.0) + 0.93 = 45.51 + 0.93 = 46.44$$

$$P.E. = 0.493$$



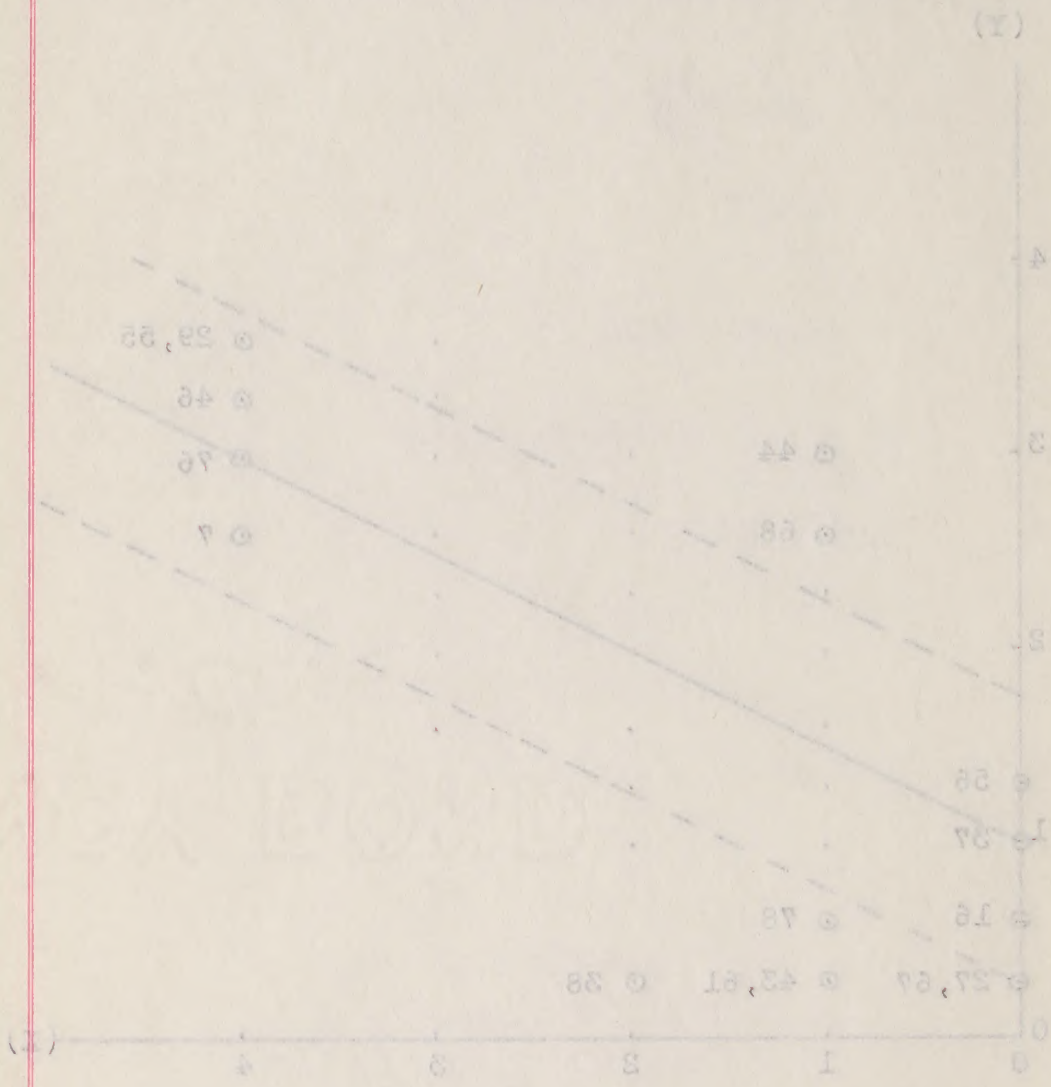
## ILLUSTRATION 1



Graph showing the relation between gross weights on the psychological test (X) and average weights in college courses (Y):  $Y = 0.51X + 0.93$

Numbered dots indicate specific students' positions.

ILLUSTRATION 1



Graph showing the relation between cross weights on the psychological test (X) and average weights in college courses (Y):  $Y = 0.51X + 0.98$

Numbered dots indicate specific students' positions.



A sample of the students was taken and their language weights,  $X_1$ , and arithmetic weights,  $X_2$ , were substituted in the regression equation for the prediction of first-semester college performance in terms of weights:

$$Y_1 = 0.45X_1 + 0.20X_2 + 0.35, \text{ F.E. } = \pm 0.465.$$

### INTERPRETATIONS

The substitutions gave predictions as indicated in column 2 of the following table:

TABLE 2

1 Student	2 Predicted wt.	3 Actual wt.
1	2.01 $\pm$ 0.465	2.0
7	1.82 $\pm$ 0.465	2.6
17	2.59 $\pm$ 0.465	3.0
35	1.93 $\pm$ 0.465	2.3
23	1.91 $\pm$ 0.465	2.0
41	1.23 $\pm$ 0.465	1.3
49	2.79 $\pm$ 0.465	3.6
57	2.36 $\pm$ 0.465	2.3
55	1.23 $\pm$ 0.465	2.0
73	1.43 $\pm$ 0.465	1.3

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$$X_1 = 0.48X_2 + 0.20X_3 + 0.55, \text{ P.E.} = \pm 0.465.$$

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TABLE 2

1- Student	2 Predicted wt.	3 Actual wt.
1	$2.01 \pm 0.465$	2.0
9	$1.63 \pm 0.465$	2.6
17	$2.59 \pm 0.465$	3.0
25	$1.63 \pm 0.465$	2.3
33	$1.91 \pm 0.465$	2.0
41	$1.23 \pm 0.465$	1.3
49	$2.79 \pm 0.465$	3.0
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The P.E. of the predicted college average weights is  $\pm 0.465$  of a point. If we wish to predict to one point then the allowable deviation will be  $1/0.465$ , or  $\pm 2.15$  P.E. Between 0 P.E. and 2.15 P.E. we find there are 4265 cases out of 10,000, assuming a normal distribution. This means, in the case at hand, that 8530 cases in 10,000 will be predicted to an accuracy of one point on the point scale used. This predictive ability is of real positive value to an admission officer as one criterion of a student's potentialities.

The weights corresponding to the gross scores on the psychological test (scores made by the students in the sample) were substituted in the regression equation for predicting first semester weights from gross score weights:  $Y = 0.51X + 0.93$ ,  $\pm 0.49$ , P.E. These gave the predicted weights as indicated in column 2 of the table on the next page.

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TABLE 3

1 Student	2 Predicted wt.	3 Actual wt.
1	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	2.0
9	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	2.6
17	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	3.0
25	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	2.3
33	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	2.0
41	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	1.3
49	$2.46 \pm 0.49$	3.0
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It is seen here that there is not the diversity possible by using this equation for prediction, for only one weight affects the predicted weight, where in the previous case the prediction depended upon two weights. These predictions do not agree as well with the actual performances, either.

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TABLE 3

Student	Predicted wt.	Actual wt.
1	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	2.0
9	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	2.8
17	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	2.0
25	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	2.3
33	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	2.0
41	$1.95 \pm 0.49$	1.3
49	$2.46 \pm 0.49$	2.0
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The history of the students represented by the asterisk dots in figure 1 was studied. Of the students whose weights were 0 on the psychological examination, numbers 27, 37, and 67 were failed in so many courses that they



were dropped from the college; numbers 16 and 56 have survived to the senior year but their records are poor. In the cases of those weighting 1: 43 and 61 failed to continue in college for any time; 78 has been a hard working, slow, and persistent student who is now a senior; numbers 44 and 68 have proved to be very good students, evidently samples of that type of student who does not show up too well on psychological examinations. Number 38, who rated 2 on the psychological test, but showed his weakness in his courses was dropped for poor scholarship. Numbers 29, 46, and 55 have proved to be excellent students of high achievements and abilities, one of them a Rhodes Scholar candidate. Numbers 7 and 76 have been very good students, but not exceptional.

Such experiences as the above indicate that those rating 0 for their psychological test weight are very poor risks in any event; and probably will not be able to complete successfully their college career; those rating 4 are honor material.

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In the case of those who have not arrived at the college

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high, and consistently excellent who is now a senior; numbers

44 and 68 have proved to be very good students, evidently

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well in psychological examinations. Number 38, who rated

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university their college career; those rating 4 are honor

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## SUMMARY SHEET

Psychological Test

	Mean	S	S <sub>av</sub>
Language Scores	35.7	13.6	1.55
Arithmetic Scores	29.1	12.1	1.38
Gross Scores	160.25	47.0	0.34
Language Weights	2.4	1.0	0.114
Arithmetic Weights	2.54	1.0	0.114

College Marks

Professor

## SUMMARY

A	79.8	11.0	2.65
B	73.4	8.5	1.48
C	78.6	9.0	1.70
D	74.6	10.8	2.02
E	79.7	10.9	2.42
F	77.4	13.3	2.16
G	71.7	8.7	1.03
H	71.0	10.7	1.86
I	74.2	15.2	1.32
First Semester Weights	8.2	0.06	0.10

Correlations

Language part of test and first semester averages 0.58±0.061

Arithmetic part of test and first semester averages 0.23±0.063

Arithmetic and language parts of test 0.15±0.074

Regression equation for predicting college average from the

scores on the language and arithmetic parts of the test,

 $X_2$  and  $X_3$ , respectively:  $X_1 = 0.46X_2 + 0.20X_3 + 0.53$  $S_{est} = 0.69$ F.E.<sub>est</sub> = 0.463

Gross Scores and college averages 0.56±0.052

Regression equation for predicting college average from

gross scores:  $X = 0.51X + 0.93$ ,  $S_{est} = 0.72$ , F.E.<sub>est</sub> = 0.493

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## SUMMARY SHEET

Psychological Test

	Mean	\$	\$ <sub>av</sub>
Language Scores	35.7	13.6	1.55
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Gross Scores	160.25	47.0	5.36
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College Marks

Professor			
A	79.8	11.0	2.65
B	78.4	8.2	1.46
C	78.6	9.6	1.70
D	74.6	10.8	2.00
E	79.7	10.9	2.43
F	77.4	13.0	2.16
G	71.7	6.7	1.03
H	71.0	10.7	1.86
I	74.2	10.5	1.32
First Semester Weights	2.2	0.88	0.10

Correlations

Language part of test and first semester averages  $0.58 \pm 0.051$

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Arithmetic and language parts of test  $0.18 \pm 0.074$

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$\$_{est} = 0.69$

$P.E._{est} = 0.465$

Gross Scores and college averages  $0.562 \pm 0.052$

Regression equation for predicting college average from

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## Psychological Test

Mean	\$	\$av
35.7	18.6	1.55
39.1	18.1	1.38
150.25	47.0	2.35
2.4	1.0	0.114
2.84	1.0	0.114

Language Scores  
Arithmetic Scores  
Gross Scores  
Language Weights  
Arithmetic Weights

## College Marks

Professor		
A	79.8	11.0
B	78.4	8.2
C	78.6	9.6
D	74.6	10.8
E	72.7	10.9
F	77.4	13.0
G	71.7	6.7
H	71.0	10.7
I	74.2	10.6
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 $\$_{est} = 0.69$   
 $P.E._{est} = 0.465$   
 Gross scores and college averages  $0.55 \pm 0.032$   
 Regression equation for predicting college average from  
 gross scores:  $Y = 0.51X + 0.93$ ,  $\$_{est} = 0.73$ ,  $P.E._{est} = 0.493$



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SUMMARY OF DATA RELATIVE TO THE A. C. E. PSYCHOLOGICAL  
EXAMINATIONS GIVEN AT I COLLEGE, 1929-1935.

APPENDIX

	1929	1930	1931	1932
Mean gross score	157.5	157.5	169.5	173.5
S. gross scores	45.5	54.5	50.5	53.5
Number taking exam.	101	125	114	111
$S_{diff}$	1.5	1.9	2.7	3.1

Standard deviation of the difference between the means

1929-1930	0.0447
1930-1931	0.109
1931-1932	2.24
1930-1931	0.0593
1931-1932	2.22
1931-1933	2.22

While the  $S_{diff}$ 's between the present freshman class and the other three classes are less than 3.00, they indicate a problem for investigation as to the reason for the large values.

APPENDIX



SUMMARY OF DATA RELATIVE TO THE A. C. E. PSYCHOLOGICAL  
EXAMINATIONS GIVEN AT X COLLEGE, 1929-1932.

	1929	1930	1931	1932
Mean gross score	157.5	157.8	158.2	173.5
\$, gross scores	45.5	54.8	50.3	53.2
Number taking exam.	101	123	114	111
\$ <sub>av</sub>	4.6	4.9	4.7	5.1

Standard deviation of the difference between the means

1929-1930	0.0447
1929-1931	0.107
1929-1932	2.36
1930-1931	0.0585
1930-1932	2.22
1931-1932	2.22

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Determination of "eta" between the weights of the gross scores on the psychological test and the weights of the college averages. Psychological test, (X), college averages, (Y).

	0	1	2	3	4	$F_y$	$D_y$	$(FD)_y$	$(FD^2)_y$
4									
3		1	2	8	4	15	1	15	15
2		8	17	5	1	31	0	0	0
1	2	6	13	4		25	-1	-25	25
0	2	4	1			<u>7</u>	-2	<u>-14</u>	<u>28</u>
$F_x$	4	19	33	17	5	78		-24	68
$Y'_x$	1	1.81	2.11	2.73	3.3				
$Y'_x - Y'$	-1.2	-.4	-.1	+.5	+1.1				
$(Y'_x - Y')^2$	1.44	.16	.01	.25	1.21				
$F_x(Y'_x - Y')^2$	5.76	3.04	.33	4.25	6.05	=19.43			

$$r_{my} = \sqrt{19.43/78} = 0.5$$

$$\eta_{yx} = 0.5/0.88 = 0.57$$

Determination of "eta" between the weights of the Gross  
scores on the psychological test and the weights of the  
college averages. Psychological test, (X), college averages,  
(Y).

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
$\Sigma Y$	4	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$\Sigma Y^2$	16	9	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$\Sigma X$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
$\Sigma X^2$	1	4	9	16	25	36	49	64	81	100	121
$\Sigma XY$	4	6	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$\Sigma Y^3$	64	27	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$\Sigma X^3$	1	8	27	64	125	216	343	512	729	1000	1331

$$r_{xy} = \frac{\Sigma XY}{\sqrt{\Sigma X^2 \Sigma Y^2}} = 0.57$$
$$\eta^2 = 0.3249 = 0.57^2$$



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	Score	Percentile
Completion.....		
Artificial Language.....		
Analogies.....		
Arithmetic.....		
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Gross Score.....		

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# Completion

**DIRECTIONS:** Think of the most appropriate word to complete each of the sentences. The number in each space indicates the number of letters in the most appropriate word for that space. Do not waste too much time on any one sentence, as you will be credited with one point for every word correctly supplied.

1. A person not of full legal age is a (5).....
2. An (6).....is one chosen to rule on the plays of a game.
3. A (6).....is one skilled in judging the merits of literary or artistic work.
4. The rites used in the disposition of a dead human body constitute a (7).....
5. (5).....is anything having a conventional use as a medium of exchange.
6. A (5).....is a kind of heavenly body, having a long nebulous train, or tail.
7. A (4).....is an ode or song of praise or adoration of God.
8. A (7).....is a bundle made up for transportation.
9. A (6).....is a difference between cost and selling price that is in favor of the seller.
10. A (3).....is a sack or pouch for holding something.
11. A (7).....is a soft pillow or pad to rest on or against.
12. A (7).....is any communication sent from one person to another.
13. (9).....is the withdrawal of a state from the national union.
14. An (5).....is a foreign-born resident of a country in which he is not a citizen.
15. A (6).....is a letter or syllable added to the end of a word to modify its meaning.
16. An (3).....is an aviator who has been cited for achievement in bringing down enemy planes.
17. A (8).....is a professional prize fighter.
18. One without means except such as come from charity is a (6).....
19. A (4).....is a place from which minerals are got by washing the soil.
20. A (5).....is a gross violation of human law.
21. An inlet of the sea smaller than a gulf is a (3).....
22. A (8)....., like a simile, is a figure of speech based on similarity.
23. A lighted coal smouldering in ashes is an (5).....
24. (12).....is the seizure of private property for the public use.
25. The last part or end of anything is called its (10).....
26. The dark-colored viscid syrup drained from sugar in manufacture is called (8).....
27. A (8).....is the base or support of a statue.

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28. The sum of the qualities that determine the value of an auditorium as to distinct hearing is called its (9).....
29. A (7)..... is a scheme for the distribution of prizes by chance.
30. (8)..... is the right of voting in political matters.
31. A wooer or lover is called a (6).....
32. A (6)..... is a sheath for carrying arrows.
33. A (5)..... is a gem carved in relief.
34. A (7)..... is a prisoner, especially in war.
35. A (9)..... is a lizard notable for changing its color.
36. A (8)..... is the highest non-commissioned officer in the army.
37. A (10)..... is a courteous expression of commendation.
38. By (13)..... law is meant the body of rules and precedents by which deliberative assemblies govern their procedure.
39. A (6)..... is formed by inlaying small pieces of different colors.
40. (9)..... is canvas waterproofed with tar.

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# Artificial Language

DIRECTIONS: Read the vocabulary and rules of the artificial language given below. Then study the sample sentences. Do not try to memorize the vocabulary or forms, but consult them freely while translating the sentences on the bottom half of this page.

## VOCABULARY

I—av  
me—aver  
he—aj  
him—ajer  
that—rin  
is—nar  
agree—frega  
decide—prista  
express—bana  
impress—guda

## RULES

1. Plurals are formed by adding "ay." Only nouns and pronouns have plurals.  
Examples: we—avay  
                  them—ajeray
2. Past time is expressed by placing "lo" before the verb.  
Example: agreed—lofrega
3. Future time is expressed by placing "sta" before the verb.  
Example: will agree—stafrega
4. Nouns are formed by substituting the ending "il" for the "a" ending of the verb.  
Example: agreement—fregil
5. Adjectives are formed by substituting the ending "uc" for the "a" ending of the verb.  
Example: agreeable—freguc
6. Adverbs are formed by substituting "ef" for the "a" ending of the verb.  
Example: agreeably—frefef

## SAMPLE SENTENCES

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|---|---|
| (a) He agrees.<br>Aj frega.             | (c) That was impressive.<br>Rin lonar guduc.      |
| (b) Avay staprista.<br>We shall decide. | (d) Pristil nar freguc.<br>Decision is agreeable. |

Translate as many of these sentences as you can in the time allowed. Translate the sentences in order 1, 2, 3, etc. Do not skip any sentence. If a complete sentence is omitted, no credit will be given for any work done beyond that point, but if a particular word bothers you, go on to the next word.

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|--------------------------------|--|
| 1. He is agreeable.            | 11. We shall express agreement.                            |
| 2. Rin loguda aver.            | 12. Pristil loguda ajer.                                   |
| 3. He agreed decisively.       | 13. That expression impressed him.                         |
| 4. Pristil nar guduc.          | 14. Aj lobana fregil pristef.                              |
| 5. I will impress them.        | 15. He impressed me agreeably.                             |
| 6. Aj lobana pristil.          | 16. Rin fregil lonar guduc.                                |
| 7. Expression is agreeable.    | 17. That decisive agreement impressed us.                  |
| 8. Pristil bana fregil.        | 18. Pristuc banilay guda frefef.                           |
| 9. They will agree decisively. | 19. That decisive expression will impress<br>us agreeably. |
| 10. Fregil nar pristuc.        | 20. Ajer bana pristil; rin nar guduc.                      |

Stop here. Wait for further instructions.



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(Prepared by Prof. Lewis O. Anderson, The University of North Dakota)

**DIRECTIONS:** This is a test of your ability to see relationships between various drawings or figures. The two samples, A and B below, illustrate what you are to do. Look at sample A. The two short lines are underlined because they are related to the third figure (single line) in the same way as the second figure (two dots) is related to the first figure (single dot).

Look at sample B. The large white square is underlined because it has the same relation to the third figure as the second figure has to the first figure. In this case the underlined figure is larger and of the opposite color, as compared with the third figure. Thus, the figure to be underlined must be related to the third figure in every way that the second is related to the first.

In the examples which follow you are to **UNDERLINE THAT FIGURE WHICH HAS THE SAME RELATION TO THE THIRD FIGURE AS THE SECOND HAS TO THE FIRST.** Underline one and only one figure in each row.

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# Arithmetic

DIRECTIONS: Write the answers to as many of these problems as you can in the time allowed.

1. A tailor uses  $9\frac{3}{4}$  yards of cloth for a suit. How many yards will it take for 32 suits?

Answer: .....yards

2. A man starts to work at \$140 a month and receives an increase of \$5 a month every 6 months. In how many years will he be earning \$190 a month?

Answer: .....years

3. A man earns \$6 a day half the time, \$4.50 per day one-fourth of the time, and nothing on the remaining days for a total period of 40 days. What did he earn in all in the 40 days?

Answer: \$.....

4. Three men catch 144 trout, and share them according to the number of persons in the family of each. In A's family there are 4 persons, in B's family there are 5, and in C's, 7. How many does C take home?

Answer: .....trout

5. A man spends  $\frac{3}{5}$  of his monthly salary for board,  $\frac{1}{4}$  for other expenses, and saves \$12. What is his monthly salary?

Answer: \$.....

6. How many times as fast does an airplane going 90 miles an hour travel as a vehicle that requires 6 minutes to go a mile?

Answer: .....times as fast

7. A man owns  $\frac{2}{3}$  of a boat and sells  $\frac{3}{4}$  of his share for \$750. At this rate, find the value of the boat.

Answer: \$.....

8. A dealer sold a horse for \$175 and lost  $12\frac{1}{2}\%$ . How much money would he have gained if he had sold the horse for 10% more than the cost?

Answer: \$.....

9. If the market value of corn is 60 cents a bushel, what is the price of oats when a farmer should give  $3\frac{3}{4}$  bushels of corn for 5 bushels of oats?

Answer: .....cents per bushel

10. A watch that gained 3 minutes and 12 seconds per day was set right at noon Monday. What time was it by this watch at 6 p.m. the following Tuesday?

Answer: .....hr.....min.....sec.

You may use this space for figuring.

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11. Cork is about  $\frac{1}{4}$  as heavy as water, and silver is about 10 times as heavy as water. How many times as heavy as cork is silver?

Answer: .....times as heavy

12. A man's house is 45 feet from his garage. How many steps, each  $2\frac{1}{4}$  feet in length, will he take in making two round trips from the house?

Answer: .....steps

13. If a dealer sells goods at a profit of 50%, but fails to collect 10% of the sales, what per cent of profit is he really making?

Answer: .....%

14. A man invested a sum of money and sold at 10% profit. He then invested the principal and profit and sold at 4% loss. The selling price was \$2112. What was the original sum invested?

Answer: \$.....

15. Of his weekly wages, B spends  $\frac{3}{4}$ , gives 10% in charity, and saves \$78 a year. Find B's weekly wages.

Answer: \$.....per week

16. If we use  $\frac{1}{2}$  of a cup of starch to  $4\frac{1}{2}$  cups of water in making starch, the starch is what per cent of the mixture?

Answer: .....%

17. Two pipes empty into a tank which already contains 1000 gallons. One pipe fills the tank at the rate of 20 gallons per minute and the other at the rate of 25 gallons per minute. How many gallons will the tank contain after 16 hours?

Answer: .....gallons

18. At 8 p.m. the barometric pressure was 29.4, and at 1 a.m. following it was 32.4. Assuming a constant rate of increase in the barometric pressure, at what time was the pressure 30.1?

Answer: .....hr.....min.....sec.

19. In a certain park a lake covers 32 acres. The area of the lake is to the land area of the park as 1 to  $4\frac{1}{4}$ . Find the area of the entire park.

Answer: .....acres

20. What is the age of a man who has lived  $\frac{1}{4}$  of his life in A, 10% of the remainder in B, and the remaining 27 years in C?

Answer: .....years

You may use this space for figuring.

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# Opposites

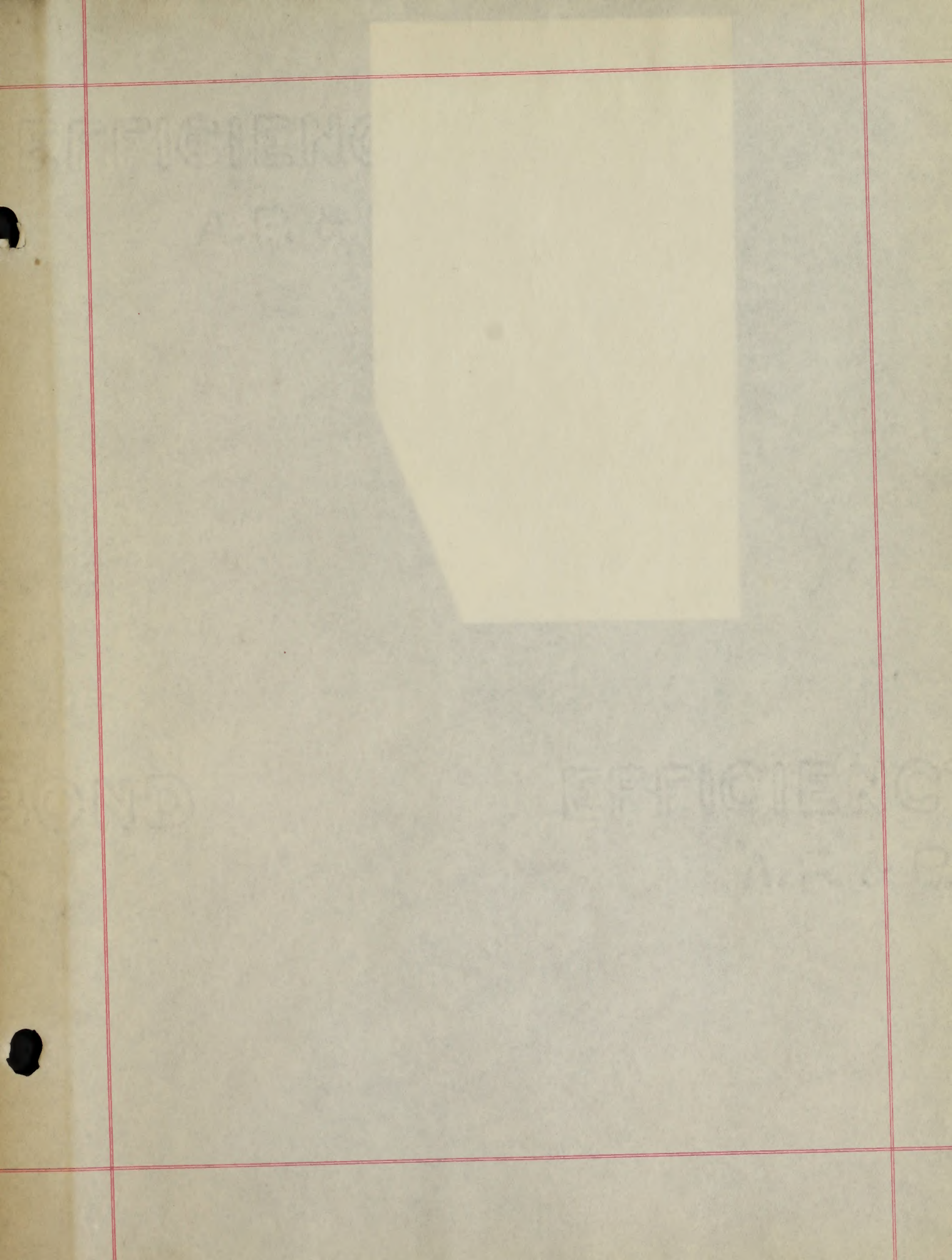
DIRECTIONS: Each group of four words in the thirty lines below contains two words which are either (a) the same or nearly the same in meaning, or (b) the opposite or nearly the opposite in meaning. Find the two words in each group that are either the same or opposite, and write the numbers of these two words in the column at the right, headed "Same" or the column headed "Opposite" as the case may be.

The first group of words, "1. many, 2. ill, 3. few, 4. down," contains two words ("many" and "few") that are opposite in meaning, so that the figures 1 and 3 are entered in the column headed "Opposite." The second and third groups have also been marked correctly.

				Same	Opposite
1 many	2 ill	3 few	4 down	...&...	..1. & 3..
1 fair	2 near	3 gone	4 far	...&...	..2. & 4..
1 gay	2 long	3 lost	4 happy	..1. & 4..	...&...
1 hasty	2 refreshed	3 fatigued	4 fanatic	...&...	...&...
1 original	2 oral	3 copied	4 derelict	...&...	...&...
1 nocturnal	2 traditional	3 prime	4 customary	...&...	...&...
1 nimble	2 agile	3 cloudy	4 reliable	...&...	...&...
1 untrue	2 expensive	3 new	4 novel	...&...	...&...
1 canine	2 rigid	3 feline	4 flexible	...&...	...&...
1 temporary	2 momentous	3 vigilant	4 eternal	...&...	...&...
1 obsolete	2 outworn	3 bucolic	4 rampant	...&...	...&...
1 rural	2 senile	3 urban	4 septic	...&...	...&...
1 genuine	2 authentic	3 asinine	4 cabalistic	...&...	...&...
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1 oracular	2 presumptive	3 suppositional	4 chimerical	...&...	...&...
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1 paramount	2 inimical	3 residual	4 amicable	...&...	...&...
1 intrepid	2 accidental	3 sufficient	4 courageous	...&...	...&...
1 predatory	2 preemptive	3 garish	4 quiet	...&...	...&...
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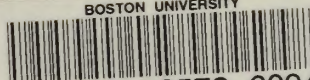


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